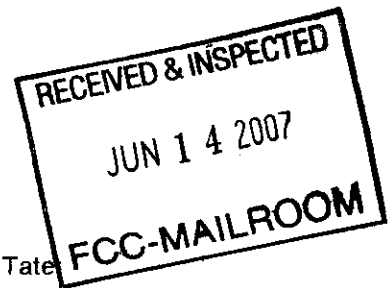


June 8, 2007

RE: CG Docket No. 03-123  
Federal Communications Commission (FCC)  
445 Twelfth Street SW  
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Pittsburgh, PA 15215

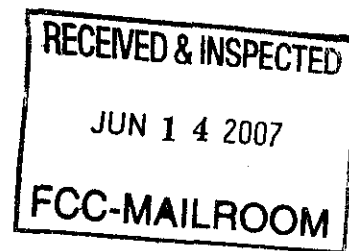
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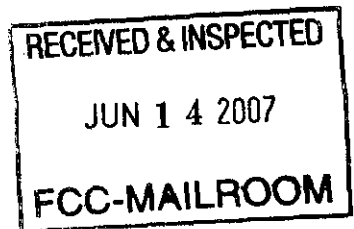
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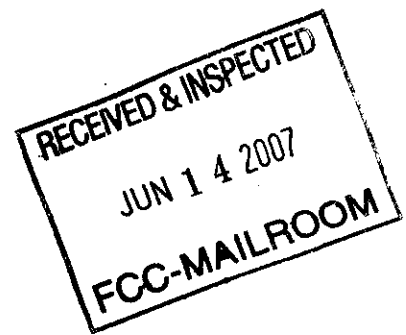
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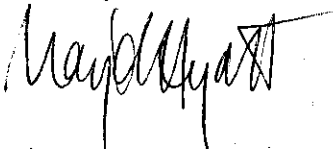
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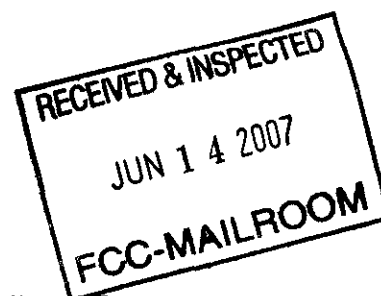
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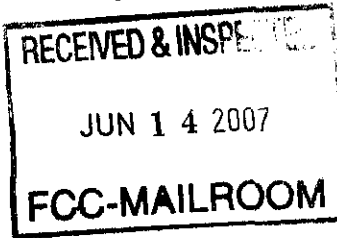
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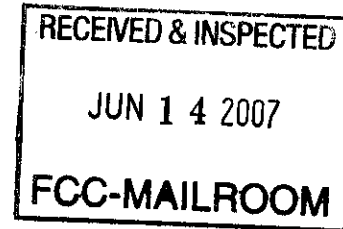
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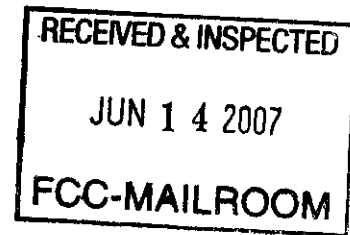
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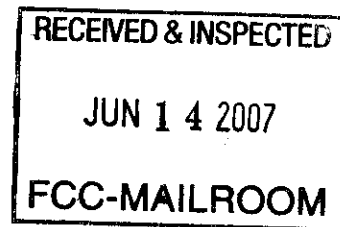
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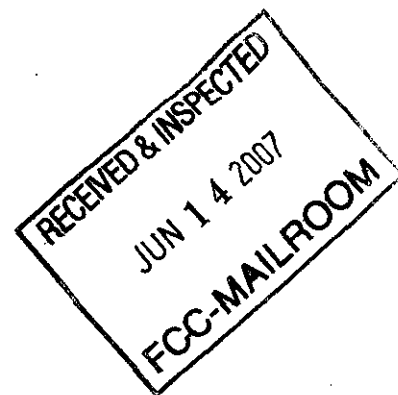
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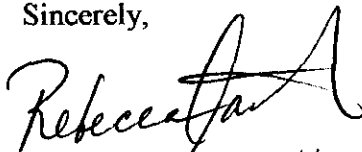
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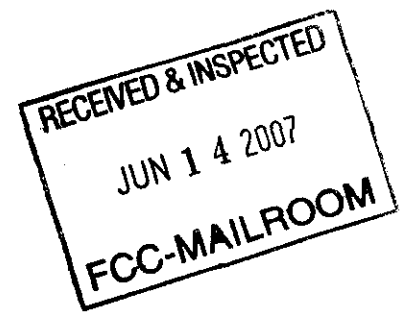
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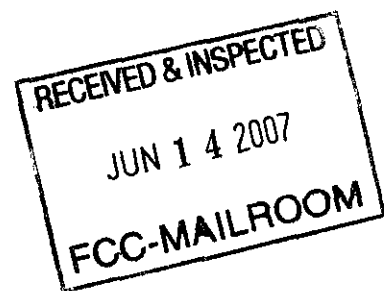


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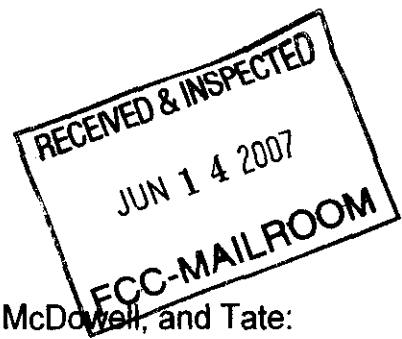
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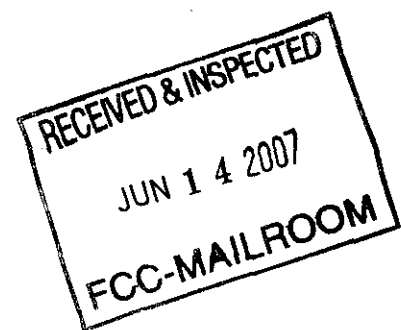
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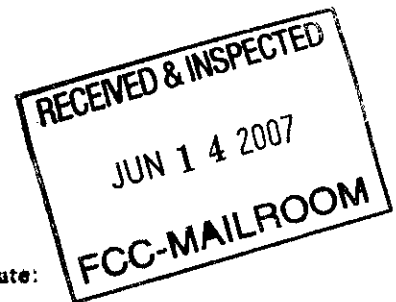
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RE: CG Docket No 03-123

**Federal Communications Commission (FCC)**

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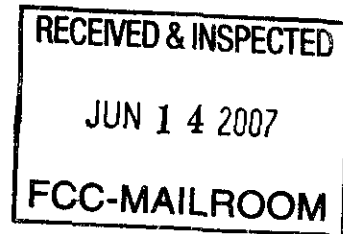
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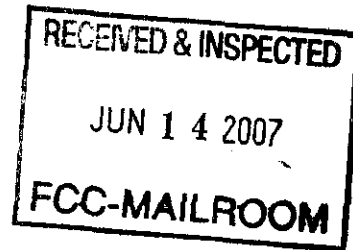
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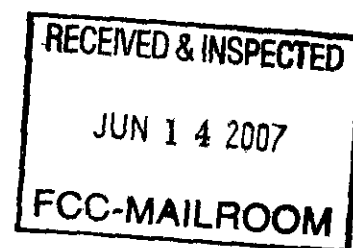
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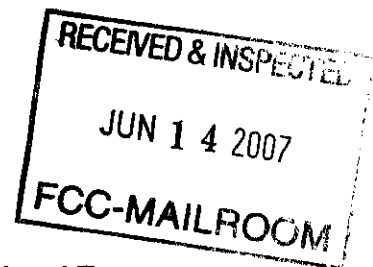
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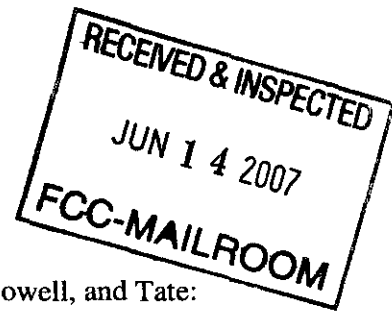
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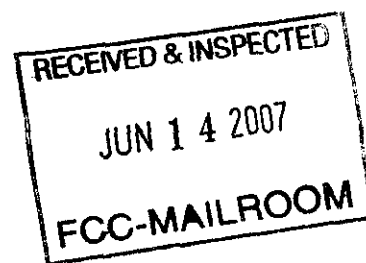
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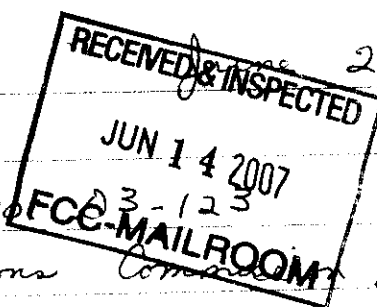
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